

Election Day



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Reading

Herb Casey wants to be mayor of his city. So he works hard. He puts up signs. "VOTE FOR HERB CASEY" the signs say. He knocks on doors and talks to people. "Please vote for me," he says. He mails letters to thousands of people. "Please vote for me," he writes. He gives speeches. "Vote for me!" he says in his speeches.

Finally, it is Election Day. It is time for people to vote. Herb works extra hard on Election Day. He puts up more signs and knocks on more doors. He calls people on the phone, too. "Today is Election Day," he says. "Please vote for me."

At eight o'clock in the evening, Herb stops making phone calls and goes to vote. It is ten minutes after eight when Herb arrives to vote. He is too late. Voting stops at eight o'clock. Herb cannot vote.

The next day, people count the votes. Is Herb Casey the new mayor? Does he win the election? No, he doesn't. He loses the election by one vote.

You can see the whole lesson from your teacher, please ask them to send it to you before the class.

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